Table 11--Utilization of Producer Milk in Class III Products, by Federal Milk Order Marketing Area, February 2000, with Comparisons 1/2/

Federal Milk Order Marketing Area	Order Number	Producer Milk Used in Class III		Class III Utilization		Component Test of Producer Milk Used in		
		2000	1999	Percentage		Class III		
				2000	1999	Butterfat	Protein	Other Solids
		Million pounds		Percent		Percent		
Northeast	001	558	643	27.42	34.40	3.86	3.02	5.64
Appalachian	005	14	21	2.91	5.64	5.14		
Southeast	007	99	40	15.60	8.37	4.49		
Florida	006	5	16	2.14	6.43	7.16		
Southeastern Region		118	76	8.64	7.01	4.68		
Mideast	033	251	256	23.69	26.09	3.56	3.10	5.70
Upper Midwest	030	1,840	1,745	81.10	81.06	3.67	3.03	5.69
Central	032	477	523	45.90	48.63	3.82	3.05	5.68
Southwest	126	279	165	35.39	28.86	3.44	3.06	5.70
Arizona-Las Vegas	131	93	76	34.27	33.40	6.08		
Southwestern Region		372	241	35.11	30.16	4.10		
Western	135	131	360	43.14	75.96	4.30	3.04	5.69
Pacific Northwest	124	175	152	31.83	29.17	3.71	3.05	5.74
Mountain Region		305	512	35.84	51.44	3.96	3.04	5.72
All Markets Combined		3,921	3,996	40.50	44.63	3.80		

^{1/} Previous year figures are simply the summation of the data for the marketing areas that were consolidated to form the marketing area. Previous year figures also combine Class III and Class III-A utilization. Data have not been adjusted for the extra day in February 2000.

²/ Election not to pool milk due to disadvantageous price relationships could affect year-to-year comparisons in thus table. See 2/ and 3/ on table 8.